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Sir:

An application was filed on August 17, 2005, however to date no filing receipt has been received. Applicant therefore requests that the filing receipt in this application be issued promptly.

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